

CITIZEN LIFE SAVING AWARD

Jeff McCormick

On November 14, 2011, a sub-contracted employee of the Morgan-Keller Construction Company collapsed on the construction site of the, now, new Brunswick Volunteer Fire Company. Project Superintendent, Jeff McCormick, who was working nearby, witnessed the collapse and responded immediately. He quickly assessed the patient and determined that he was not breathing, had no pulse, and was becoming cyanotic. He immediately began one-person CPR. A short time later, after hearing the emergency call on his fire monitor, a member of the Brunswick Fire Company rushed to the scene and joined Jeff in administering two-person CPR.

While enroute to Frederick Memorial Hospital, the ambulance crew was twice forced to utilize the AED in order to stabilize the patient. At the hospital, the patient was diagnosed with a total blockage of a coronary artery. A stent was subsequently inserted and after a short hospital stay, the patient was released. He has since been able to return to work.

Jeff McCormick's decisive actions and knowledge of CPR enabled him to save a life that day, and he is hereby awarded the Citizen Life Saving Award.

Congratulations Jeff!